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09/801,407

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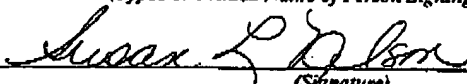
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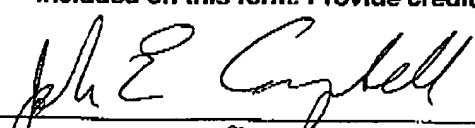
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Title: INTER-PARTITION MESSAGE : John E. Campbell  
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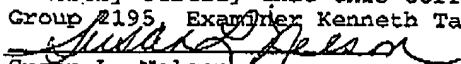
Amendment

Sir:

The Office Action mailed November 2, 2005 having been received, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the outstanding rejections and further examination of the present application in light of the following remarks and amendments:

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.